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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CLEANSING ADDRESSES FOR ELECTRONIC MESSAGES**

Enclosed are:

18 pages comprising the specification, claims, and abstract.  
8 sheets of drawings.  
A Declaration and Power of Attorney.  
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